

SPORT

NEWS
and
COMMENT

THAT LONG DELAYED Tiger "scoring punch" has arrived. It was uncreated at Rollins Field yesterday, clamped on the Schulte machine, lined up against Coach Johnnie Miller's praiseworthy freshmen on their own fifteen-yard line—and demonstrations started. With Rider, McMillen, Harry Viner, Groves, Muir and Pittam in the role of the hitherto un-

known "punch," the Varsity gathered about the finest assortment of touchdowns seen in Columbia this fall. Yesterday the Tigers had what they lacked in the Ames game—the ability to ram the oval over the goal line from the fifteen-yard line. Of course someone is going to rise up and remark that had the Tigers been in action against the freshmen instead of Ames Saturday, the "punch" would have been just as evident then. However, few of the chosen ones who saw yesterday's scrimmage will say that there was not real ability and scoring power against any team in the Varsity's work.

All of the backfield men, with the exception of Pittam, shot through the first-year line, and the oval after each touchdown was restored to the Varsity with the orders to carry it over again from the fifteen-yard line in four downs. Three plays were usually sufficient to bring about the score when Viner, Rider or McMillen were doing the lugging, with Pittam, however, results were less fruitful.

Groves and Muir Find Scoring Avenues.

New avenues of possible scores were opened up when Groves and Muir were called out of their tackle positions to circle and take the ball through the opposite side of the line. While the backfield plungers were making their required fifteen yards for a touchdown in four downs the big tackles made the distance in two plays. "Snooze" lumbered along for the entire distance on one play, shaking off three tacklers. When "big" Bill Muir came around for a plunge through the right wing, Muir and Hamilton opened a hole wide enough to drive a wagon through. Shy replaced Preston at the guard position, because of the South Greenfield parson's slight injury.

Captain Lansing Gets Into the Scrimmage.

Captain Harry Lansing got into the scrimmage with a vim. With the freshmen trying the Oklahoma forward passing tactics the Tiger general knocked down the first attempt. Later he intercepted a fling from Gardier and was away for a touchdown.

"Jimmie" Porter, freshman quarterback, suffered a sprained ankle in a mass play and had to be carried from the field. He will probably be out of the game for a week.

Kansas Game Tickets On Sale November 6.

Kansas game tickets will go on sale in Columbia November 6, two days after the Missouri home-coming day. Three thousand seats have been provided for Missourians. They are in the north bleachers of McCook Field. The prices will be the same as in other years, \$2.50 for box seats and \$2 for bleacher seats.

Kansas Game Officials Have Been Agreed Upon.

C. E. McBride, "Bill" Gordon, a former Harvard star, and "Doc" Reilly, athletic director of the K. C. A. C. will be the officials at the Kansas-Missouri game at Lawrence Thanksgiving Day. All three have had experience in handling the historic battle. Although it has been decided that McBride, Gordon and Reilly will handle the game in which capacity each will act has not been agreed upon.

An unpardonable football sin occurred when Viner "bawled" up two plays in succession on the ten-yard line. Of course Viner is fairly new at the halfback position—but Collins is out and somebody's got to fill the hole against the Sooners Saturday. Viner looks like the most promising candidate. Undoubtedly he will be in the game.

TO GIVE MASS MEETING AT TRAIN TOMORROW

An open air mass meeting at the 4:30 o'clock Wabash train tomorrow afternoon will give the Tigers a send-off on the trip to Soonerland for the battle Saturday, the first out-of-town game of the 1916 season. The cheer leaders will be there and Coach Schulte has asked for a demonstration of the Missouri rouser spirit.

The Missourian is sending a staff correspondent along with the team. The play by play reports will be announced in front of the Missourian office in the Virginia Building Saturday afternoon.

PRIZES GIVEN AT BARNWARMING

"Rube" Make-Ups, Log-Sawing, Bean-Eating, Corn-Husking Rewarded.

The "Rube Hawkinses" were very much in evidence at the Barnwarming last Friday night, but the "rube" was Otto Conrades with his linen duster and carpet bag. First prize, six pairs of silk hose, was awarded Mr. Conrades. The second prize went to A. J. Pierce.

C. R. Crittenden and his partner, Miss Clay, carried off the prize for being the most countrified couple. Miss Clay was presented with five pounds of candy, and merchandise to the amount of \$3 was given to Mr. Crittenden. The second prize for the "rube" couple was won by G. V. Sheets and Miss Julie Anderson; it consisted of a bottle of toilet water and a pair of house slippers.

Several couples tried to prove their ability with the cross-cut saw, but F. H. Shelledy and Miss Gladys Baker made the greatest progress, sawing the log about half way through. A knife and a picture were the prizes. Roscoe Warren and Miss Pleas came out second in this contest.

Henry Delp won the bun-eating contest. Buns tied to strings were eaten by persons with their hands tied behind them, and the man finishing first received two pairs of silk hose.

Corn husking came in for a contest, which was won by Troy Deal and Miss Laura Dickson. In the preliminaries each couple had ten ears of corn to husk. The two couples getting through first then tried for the final honors. Miss Dickson received a bottle of toilet water, and Mr. Deal won a watch.

It was planned to have a nail driving contest for the women, but because of lack of nails the contest was called off.

Harry Linger peeled five sweet potatoes in the shortest time and received a scarf pin.

An old-fashioned 'coon hunt was also held in connection with the Barnwarming. A pet 'coon was tied in a tree some distance back of Rollins Field and dogs were turned loose to follow the trail.

C. H. Eckles Talks to Dairy Students.

Prof. C. H. Eckles told the Student Dairy Association last night of the opportunities for graduates of the dairy department of the College of Agriculture. Erskine Harmon, president of the club, gave an account of his trip to Massachusetts on the dairy judging team.

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NAVY TO GET 24 NEW VESSELS

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By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Bids were to be opened at the Navy Department today for four battleships and twenty destroyers. The battleships will be slightly larger than the Tennessee and California. Their chief characteristics will be: displacement, 32,500 tons; speed, 21 knots; battery, eight 16-inch guns, twenty-two 5-inch guns, four 3-inch anti-aircraft guns; complement, 1,022. They will have the same large cruising radius which characterizes all recent United States battleships.

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CITY AND CAMPUS

Dr. J. W. Connaway, head of the veterinary science department, will leave in the morning to assist in the control of an outbreak of hog cholera in Howard County.

E. H. Hughes, assistant professor of animal husbandry, went to Marble Hill today to do extension work at the live stock and produce show there.

W. P. Anderson, Russian Agricultural

Commissioner to the United States, has written the animal husbandry department of the College of Agriculture to inquire about the merits of the Missouri Ozark sections for sheep raising on a large scale.

P. H. Ross, State Leader of County Agricultural Agents, is spending the first part of the week with F. E. Longmire, agent of Knox County, and will spend the remainder with T. H. Nelson, agent of Marion County.

The crowded condition of the animal husbandry department of the College of Agriculture has made necessary the preparation of three offices and a classroom in the live stock judging pavilion.

Prof. E. A. Trowbridge of the College of Agriculture will go to Kirksville tonight to take part in the Agricultural Extension branch short course there. F. W. Faurot, extension professor of horticulture, went yesterday.

The Kappa Sigma fraternity will give a matinee dance at its chapter house on Bridge terrace Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. M. C. Whittier left for her home in Kansas City this morning after a visit with Mrs. T. O. Robinson and other friends.

F. K. Benedict left this morning on a business trip to Warmington.

Mrs. G. C. Haydon and son, George, of Kansas City, who have been visiting near Columbia with Mrs. Betty Haydon went home this morning.

Mrs. Leonard Henderson and Mrs.

George Miller went to Moberly this morning as delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention. They will return Saturday.

Mrs. Margaret Thoos, who has been visiting Mrs. U. Berkebile, left for her home in Cleveland, Ohio, this morning.

Miss Agnes Husband, instructor in voice at Stephens College, and Miss Helen Williams, a student at Stephens went to Kansas City this morning to attend grand opera. They will return Friday.

W. S. Winegardner and family, who have been visiting John McMiller, an uncle of Mrs. Winegardner, left for their home at Darlington this morning.

Mrs. Turner McBaine's Sunday School class of girls of the Broadway Methodist Church entertained the young men of that church last evening with a Hallowe'en party.

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